

The three (small, medium, large) Sisterhoods winning *The Innovative Programming Award*, the three (small, medium, large) Sisterhoods winning *The President's Award*, and the one woman winning *The District Emerging Leader Award* will each receive the **CHAI FIVE**. This is a \$90 credit toward a District event to be used on or before the next District convention.

Each woman nominated by her Sisterhood to receive the Deborah Honor will be given a Deborah certificate.

*These Awards are funded by the Central District Baker/Egelson Recognition Fund, a combination of monies from District 11, District 10, and funds initially endowed by Anita Baker, Augusta Egelson, and other Past Presidents of District 9.*



WRJ Central District Policy #40 states: The Awards Chair will chair the Awards Committee which is comprised of the Vice President for Marketing and Communications, the Vice President for Programming and Advocacy, the YES Fund Chair, the Program Chair, and other members as deemed necessary by the President.



WRJ Central District Awards

2010 District Convention  
Cleveland, OH  
November 12-14, 2010

**The Deborah Honor**  
**The President's Award**  
**The District Emerging Leader Award**  
**The Innovative Programming Award**



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Awards

Award Applications Due by  
August 1, 2010

Royalyn R. Vert, President  
Pamela Levine, Awards Chair

## General Guidelines

The Awards format has changed! It has been streamlined and made more user friendly. The applications will be filled out online using a uniform format.

Individual Sisterhoods may apply for awards in both the President's Award and Innovative Programming Award and may submit an application for more than one program in either category. Award entries in each of those two categories are separated by size of Sisterhoods: small, 0-99 members; medium, 100-299 members; and large, 300+ members.

In addition, every Sisterhood may select one of its members to receive a Deborah Honor in recognition of service to her Sisterhood.

Finally, a woman from within the Central District will be chosen for the Emerging Leader Award.

Good luck to everyone!

## Award Categories

### Innovative Programming Award

This award recognizes a Sisterhood in each of the categories of small, medium, and large for an innovative, energizing, and original program.

### President's Award

The Central District President determines the theme of this award. This biennium, the President's Award will recognize a Sisterhood in each of the categories of small, medium, and large for a unique campaign/event that increased membership by at least 10%.

### District Emerging Leader Award

One Sisterhood woman from within Central District will receive this award. A Sisterhood may nominate a woman who exemplifies the strengths and has shown the skills, abilities, and willingness to accept a leadership role in her Sisterhood, Central District, or WRJ.

## Deborah Honor

This award recognizes ***one*** woman from each Sisterhood who has demonstrated extraordinary service and commitment to both Sisterhood and Judaism based on criteria established by the Sisterhood. All you have to do is submit a name!



*Programs must occur between November 10, 2008 and November 10, 2010. The deadline to submit an application is August 1, 2010. To submit applications online, visit [www.wrjcentral.org](http://www.wrjcentral.org). Applications may also be filled out and mailed to WRJ Central District Awards Chair Pam Levine, 3967 W. Meadow Lane, Orange Village, OH 44122.*